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In my view the Microsoft Settlement known as the Tunney Act is fair and reasonable. I believe after four years of litigation it is time to move on and stop wasting the tax payers money on a case that should have been settled years ago. The nine states that don't want to settle are not thinking about consumers. They are only concerned with the competitors of Microsoft. The Anti-Trust law was not established to even the playing field between competitors, it's purpose was to keep prices competitive. I think Microsoft has kept the prices of it's products competitive. The competitors of Microsoft should stop whining. If they came up with a better product for a lower price, people would buy that product regardless of whether Microsoft Windows was loaded into the computer at the factory or not.

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